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shoot it up! I must write to them, and I can't write myself in what has happened. Write anonymously in their place, and tell them you are the person who saw you so innocently exposed to a disaffected suspicion, and who concealed it from you, G. Moody." The longer you delay, the harder it will be.

"I took down and wrote on his breast, with brush written in every line of his face, body played. Passing slowly down the port passage which connected the two rooms, and still under the heavy curtain that had been imposed on him, he paused, looking round the curtains which hung over the entrance to the boarder."

JAMES A. GARFIELD.

Legislation in Congress on the Acceptance of a Status.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—At 2:25 p.m., on the report of E. B. Taylor, of Ohio, the house passed by a vote of 197 yeas and 108 nays, legislation accepting the status of President James A. Garfield, presented by the state of Ohio.

The quality briefly elucidated the many characteristics which distinguished the career of the late president.

Mr. Golds, of Ohio, spoke feelingly of his friendship with Garfield, and of the admiration he had for him, and expressed his hope that all citizens regarded Ohio's dead statesman.

Mr. Butterworth of Ohio, paid a high tribute to the head and heart of the dead statesman, and compared his abilities as a leader of men and respect with those possessed by Garfield and Stevens, declaring that Garfield was the superior of either, by reason of his being a profound thinker and possessor of a wider range of experience.

Mr. McMillan, of Ohio, followed, and addressed himself more particularly to an analysis of President Garfield's abilities, as well as to the course pursued by him during his long professional career.

Mr. Cullum, of Tennessee, a former pupil of Garfield's, bore witness to the eminent abilities and qualities of his teacher. The resolution was then adopted.

Salt Springs Report.

ALBANY, Jan. 30.—The annual report of superintendent Brummelkamp, of the Onondaga salt springs, at Syracuse, presented to the assembly, contains the following statement: "The quantity of salt expected during the year was 6,364,299 bushels, of which 494,967 were produced in the fine salt brack by artificial heat, and the remainder was coarse salt works of the Solar evaporation. The revenues for the year rose \$65,707; disturbances, \$64,078. The work under the appropriation of \$42,000, nearly substantially finished, is not in such a hurry as last year, owing to the fact that most of all the expenses incurred. A further appropriation of \$9,000 is asked for to make necessary improvements."

The Cost of Montreal's Plague.

MONTREAL, Jan. 30.—The expense to the city caused by the smallpox epidemic amounted to \$187,770 80 up to Jan. 1, and the cost during the month of January alone was \$10,000. It has been estimated that the number of hospital and in placarding infected houses. A large number of suits—of suit said at least 2,500—are to be brought against the city by the many sufferers or their friends, alleging that in the early days the epidemic proper precautions were not taken to limit the spread of the disease, and limiting damages in from \$500 to \$5,000 each.

Advocating Dynamite.

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—A most enthusiastic leading of the Irish Nationalists of Boston is held in New Era hall yesterday evening. The speaker, John J. O'Connell, of the Irish Republic, in which he advocated in unequivocal terms the use of dynamite to aid in subjection and downfall of English rule in Ireland. He was followed by John P. Fitzpatrick, Doherty and Hugh John E. Fitzpatrick, who followed the example of their predecessor, and guaranteed their support to any movement toward the independence of our Irish people.

Slaughtering Porkers.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 18.—The Cincinnati market for hogs present a most remarkable feature. In the west last week there were 255,000, against 520,000 last year. The total at date since Nov. 1, is 4,026,000, against 4,000,000 last year. At the principal points since Nov. 1 is follows: Chicago, 1,230,000; Kansas City, 1,000,000; Cincinnati, 285,000; St. Louis, 265,000; Milwaukee, 231,000; Indianapolis, 210,000; St. Paul, 190,000; Minneapolis, 180,000; St. Joseph, Mo., 87,000; Cleveland, 80,000.

A Victim of Hydrophobia.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Jan. 19.—The 6-year old child of Seward Applegate, of Trenton, died yesterday morning of hydrophobia, and died of the disease in its most aggravated form. Twenty-one days previously the child had been very slightly bitten in the nose by a dog running through the village, and the parents had neglected to have the wound indicated indications of madness and the child's wounds were mere scratches and licks and licks.

Young America on the War Path.

LOUISVILLE, JAN. 18.—Garland Overton, 10 years, is missing, and his parents are anxious to find him. He was seen at the following note: "He was found in his room: 'DEAR MOTHER: I bid you farewell forever. Do not look for me, as it will be useless. I am pursuing my way across the wilderness plain. If fortune favors me I may hear of me perhaps. By-by.' With affectionate regards to all,"

GARLAND.

Says Bayard Violated Confidence.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The World's Washington special says that Byron V. Schaeffer, late Austrian minister, has stated to a reporter that Mrs. Bayard, wife of Secretary Bayard, to the effect that Mrs. Bayard could not be received in Vienna without a confidential, and that Mr. Bayard violated a confidence in publishing it, besides writing from diplomatic usages.

Pennsylvania Board of Pardons.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 30.—The pardon board of Pennsylvania today refused to grant a pardon to George W. H. Harsh, of Verango county, convicted of burglary. The case of E. P. Philips, of Philadelphia, was continued. The cases of Jerome Schaeffer, of Berks, and Edward Williams, Jr., of Philadelphia were refused.

Paris, Jan. 18.—M. de Lesseps will remain in his task there is a far easier one than the construction of the Suez Canal. He says the Panama canal will be completed by the end of 1888.

Ash Wednesday and Easter Sunday.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Easter this year occurs on the latest date on which it can possibly occur—April 23. Under the rule of the church, which requires that the fast of Ash Wednesday fall on the Sunday after the full moon following March 21, its earliest possible date is March 24. It is 152 years since Easter day has been so late.

Under the same rule, the date of Ash Wednesday will fall this year on the 10th of March.

The Boy Was Not a Good Shot.

HEIKENTIA, Tex., Jan. 18.—Willam Ayntown here drunk and anounced his intention of killing his wife, daughter and son. He was heard with a pistol shot at the throat, when the son, Tom, aged 12, seized a rifle and shot his father through the breast, inflicting a dangerous wound. Citizens express regret that Tom did not take a better shot.

Doctor Jarrett Suspended.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—The trial of Rev. George R. Jarrett, pastor of Spring Valley Methodist Church, charged with sedition in New York City. The result of the trial was that Mr. Jarrett be suspended from the ministry until the next session of the New York conference, which meets in April.

Monday January 18.

IN THE HOUSE.

The absence of Speaker Carlisle, Mr. Sawyer occupied the chair. The Chaplain gave a stirring address touching, lastly to the bereavement in the family of Father Bayard.

Turner (Ga.) offered a resolution, adopted by a large vote, directing the committee to have printed the papers in its contested election cases, and to sit during the sessions.

The house committee on rivers and harbors reported favorably on a bill introduced by Messrs. Lovering and Davis of Massachusetts; also of New Hampshire, and Boutelle of Maine, in support of proposed improvements and alterations in the Connecticut river. The committee agreed on the amounts to be used on Lubec channel and Musaboe Maine; but they were not made public. The house committee on manufacturing and commerce reported a bill authorized and talked over the business now in them, but took no action upon it.

The day was consumed with the call of roll for bills. Five hundred bills were introduced.

IN THE SENATE.

Sherman occupied the chair; Mr. Colburn presented a petition from merchants of Tex., complaining of smuggling on the coast, and asking redress therefrom as a remedy; also by Messrs. Dolph Mitchell memorials from Oregon territory asking that the Columbia be improved, and for a public harbor in Oregon; also a shipping committee on interstate commerce was re-back to the committee. Mr. Ingalls introduced a resolution asking the secretary of treasury for information as to what proportion of the bonds of the United States bonds are held by National banks as a basis for circulation.

Voorhees presented a memorial from some of Montana, praying that the territorial government of the state in the U. S. n, and also introduced a bill providing such admission.

A judicial salary bill was then taken up, and amendments were proposed and read. The bill was moved by the senate and states district court judges \$5,000, and prohibits them from appointing relatives to office in their courts.

Tuesday, January 19.

IN THE HOUSE.

The bill for the relief of Jits John was passed. The committee adopts the report submitted to the last congress, but adds that careful consideration of the subject, members of the committee concluded that the objectionable part of the proposition of President Arthur, are not well advised, and should not interrupt the course of justice. The report is sign'd by all the separate members of the committee.

Mr. Tilden introduced a bill. Gov. has introduced a bill to hold congressional jury service on Sunday.

The chief engineer has asked congress for appropriation of \$30,000 for construction of the Mississippi river complete the sea wall around Gov.'s island, New York harbor.

Mr. Cobb (Ind.), from committee on lands, bill forfeiting certain grants of other lands, and the state in the construction of railroads.

Matson (Ind.), from committee on pensions, reported back bill increasing the widows pension to \$12 per month. The bill will probably pass to extend the session by opening in October.

IN THE SENATE.

The committee has been appointed to visit New York and other cities, to investigate the case of Governor Cleveland. The governor vetoed denounced the action of Da as an insult to congress.

The Succession Bill Signed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—The president the presidential succession bill, which will legalize the election of the territorial legislatures of Wyoming.

Hog Plague in Wisconsin.

PORT WIS., Jan. 19.—The hog plague has prevailed in this locality this winter, and is still causing great loss of life, and the most disastrous disease which has afflicted stock in this vicinity. Scores of hogs are dying every day, and is estimated at fully 10,000 head of swine from within a radius of fifteen miles of the city. The best authority on the matter does not name the disease to the general public, or to stock men, but many are satisfied the disease is measles, and not cholera.

His Happiness Was Brief.

CARON PA., Jan. 19.—The death sentence James Highlands, convicted of murder in preparing July 10, 1876, was pronounced today, which found an error in the judge's decision of the jury. His release was, therefore, ordered. Highlands was almost overwhelmed with joyous emotions, but as he prepared to leave the prison, he was surrounded by a mob of men, who threatened to lynch him if he is released.

New York Legistature.

BABY, Jan. 19.—In the assembly to-day Senator introduced a bill to amend chapter 312 of the laws of 1857, so as to provide that one of the state assessors shall be chosen from the county of New York.

Mr. Kaue introduced a bill to appropriate \$100,000 with which to buy machinery for carrying on the price piece system, the state prisons, and was introduced at the request of Mr. Baker, superintendent of the state prisons.

Parliamentary Food Association.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—At a meeting of the Parliamentary Food association, at Hoffman house, subscriptions since the last meeting, amounting to over \$3,000, were received, mainly from the friends of the cause. A letter from Mr. Farnell read, thanking the committee for the report of his work; members had done for the poor of the continent. The following names were mentioned:—Messrs. J. B. Byrnes, of Cincinnati, and others.

Lost His Life Saving Others.

WILMINGTON, Jan. 19.—The house of Benjamin M. Johnson, of Grapeland, was destroyed by fire, and two children, who were sleeping in the ruins, were caught in the flames, and died before the fire could be put out. The woman and children were burned, but will recover.

The Loss Has Increased.

WILMINGTON, Pa., Jan. 19.—The safe in the city treasurer's office was blown open by dynamite, and \$100,000 in money and \$45,000 in warrants stolen. The warrants are negotiable. The explosion when the safe exploded, killed three persons, and injured several others. Before the cause of it could be located, several robbers had escaped with their plunder.

Valuable Mare Falls in a Well.

WILMINGTON, Jan. 15.—Major H. C. McClellan's fine trotting mare Iolanthe, record holder, fell into a well and died an hour after rescued. She was slain by King Rene, of George Wilkes, and was valued at

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